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CRIME ANALYSIS

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COUNTERFEIT CURRENCY

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DETAILS:

The above-pictured **Suspect-1** entered the **WALMART** at 22015 Hawthorne and purchased two iPads (\$499 each) with one legitimate \$100 bill and the rest counterfeit \$50 bills. Approximately 10-20 minutes later, **Suspect-2** and **Suspect-3** (also pictured above) attempted to return the two tablets; employees had already determined the bills used for the payment were counterfeit, denied the transaction and recovered the iPads. **Suspect-2** and **Suspect-3** fled northbound Hawthorne and out of sight before Loss Prevention Agents were able to detain them.

SUSPECT DESCRIPTIONS:

Suspect-1: Black Male Adult, 20-30 years, 5'8"-6'/ 150-180 pounds, short hair, wearing a royal blue sweatshirt or pullover, jeans, tennis shoes

Suspect-2: Black Male Adult, 20-30 years, 5'8"-6'/ 160-200 pounds, short hair, light facial hair, wearing a black jacket over a red shirt, navy blue pants

Suspect-3: Black Female Adult, 18-25 years, 5'3"-5'6"/ 100-120 pounds, short hair with a scar or shaved design above her left ear (circled in red above), wearing a black Reckless Youth jacket with gray sleeves and red trim (matching pictured at right), gray/white vertical striped shirt, gray trousers



SUSPECT VEHICLE:

None seen or heard

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